



MS AF  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3616

PATENT  
0649-1004PUS1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Do not  
Enter  
D. Dunn

Applicants:	Shinji TAKAHASHI	Conf.: 9118
Appl No:	10/733,410	Art Unit: 3616
Filed:	December 12, 2003	Examiner: G. Spisich
For:	STEERING SHAFT SUPPORT STRUCTURE FOR VEHICLE FOR UNEVEN GROUND RUNNING	

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 5, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2006 (Paper No. 20060402), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Claim Set As Amended and Remarks.